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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

6 AUSTIN MUTUAL INSURANCE  
COMPANY,

7 Plaintiff,

8 v.

9 ROBERT BURGESS et al.,

10 Defendants.

No. C18-1202 RSM

**STIPULATION AND ORDER  
CONTINUING INITIAL  
SCHEDULING DATES**

11 **STIPULATION**

12 Plaintiff Austin Mutual Insurance Company, Defendants Robert Burgess and Beverage  
13 Specialists, Inc., and Defendant Lotus Lifestyle, LLC (collectively, “the Parties”) through their  
14 attorneys of record, stipulate and agree that good cause exists to further extend the Initial  
Scheduling Dates in this action by an additional 14 days (Dkt. 5, as amended at Dkt.8 ).

15 Good cause exists to further extend the deadlines because the Parties participated in  
16 mediation on October 15, 2018 and are currently attempting to reach a settlement agreement  
17 that would resolve the claims at issue herein. The Parties believe it would be beneficial to  
18 attempt settlement at this time in lieu of engaging in initial discovery. This is the second  
request for a 14-day extension of these deadlines.

19 For these reasons, the Parties hereby agree to extend the Initial Scheduling Dates by an  
20 additional 14 days.

1 DATED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.

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### ORDER

13 Based on the Parties' Stipulation, and finding that there is good cause to continue initial  
14 scheduling dates, it is hereby ORDERED that the Initial Scheduling Dates in this matter are  
15 extended by an additional 14 days as follows:

16 Deadline for FRCP 26(f) Conference: November 2, 2018

17 Initial Disclosure Pursuant to  
18 FRCP 26(a)(1): November 9, 2018

19 Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery  
20 Plan as Required by FRCP 26(f) and  
Local Civil Rule 26(f):

November 16, 2018

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2 DATED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 2018.

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5 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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